8-15-05

The

Express Mail No. EV 346 792 738 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Jeffrey GRELLA et al.

Confirmation no. 7090

Application No.: 10/701,697

Group Art Unit: 3728

Filed: November 4, 2003

Examiner: Marie D. Patterson

For:

AUS 1 2 2005

SNOWBOARD BOOT STRAP ANCHOR

Attorney Docket No.: 87728-3700

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the final Office Action dated June 7, 2005 regarding the above-identified application.

CLAIM AMENDMENTS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 5 of this paper.

No fees are believed to be required for timely consideration of this paper. Should any fees accrue or be required, however, please charge such fees to **Winston & Strawn LLP** Deposit Account No. 50-1814.